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SUBJ: INTERNATIONAL VISITOR PROGRAM FOR FY-76: REGIONALLY FUNDED
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1. POST NOMINATES FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS FOR THE ENERGY POLICY
SEMINAR IN PRIORITY ORDER:

A. JESUS ALBERTO TABORDA-ROMERO, CAPTAIN VENEZUELAN NAVY,
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE NATIONAL COMMISSION ON NUCLEAR
AFFAIRS (CONAN) OF THE VENEZUELAN GOVERNMENT'S PLANNING MINISTRY
(CORDIPLAN). BORN JUNE 26 CARACAS, B.S. AND M.S. IN MECHANICAL
ENGINEERING FROM NAVAL POSTGRADUATE SCHOOL IN MONTEREY
AND M.S. IN NUCLEAR ENGINEERING FROM M.I.T. HE IS CONSIDERED
THE LEADING FIGURE IN NUCLEAR DEVELOPMENT IN VENEZUELA AND
PREVIOUS POSITIONS INCLUDE DIRECTOR OF THE NUCLEAR REACTOR OF THE
VENEZUELAN INSTITUTE FOR SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH (IVIC)
AND ACADEMIC DEIRECTOR OF THE VENEZUELAN NAVAL POSTGRADUATE
SCHOOL. FLUENT ENGLISH.

B. MICHAEL VAISMAN E., COORDINATOR FOR NUCLEAR REACTORS WITH
THE NATIONAL COMMISSION ON NUCLEAR AFFAIRS. BORN NOVEMBER 3,
1947 IN ISRAEL, VENEZUELAN CITIZEN, B.S. IN NUCLEAR ENGINEER-
ING AND M.S. IN COMPUTER SCIENCE FROM UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE.
WAS EMPLOYED AS SYSTEMS CONSULTANT BY ARTHUR YOUNG AND CO.
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BEFORE JOINING THE NEWLY FORMED CONAN IN APRIL 1975. FLUENT

ENGLISH.

C. JOSE DE JESUS SANTANA QUEVEDO, ARMY OFFICER, EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO NATIONAL COMMISSION ON NUCLEAR AFFAIRS. BORN JUNE 19, 1936, CARACAS. SANTANA HOLDS DEGREE IN ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING FROM ESCUELA SUPERIOR TECNICA, BUENOS AIRES, AND IN PHYSICS FROM UNIVERSIDAD NACIONAL DE ROSARIO, ROSARIO, ARGENTINA. HE WAS THE ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF THE VENEZUELAN ARMED FORCES COMMUNICATIONS SCHOOL PRIOR TO JOINING CONAMLN SPEAKS SOME ENGLISH.

D. ROBERTO ALMOGUERA, DIRECTOR OF THE INSTITUTE OF ELECTRICAL ENERGY OF UNIVERSIDAD SIMON BOLIVAR.

E. JUAN USLAR, ASSOCIATE OF THE BASIC INDUSTRIES SECTION OF CORDIPLAN;

F. LUIS ORTEGA, CONSULTANT, BASIC INDUSTRIES SECTION AND CONAN OF CORDIPLAN.

2. ADDITIONAL BASIC BIODATA FOR ALMOGUERA, JUAN USLAR AND LUIS ORTEGA WILL BE CABLED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. CLEARANCE OBTAINED FOR ALL NOMINEES, EXCEPT LUIS ORTEGA FOR WHOM RESULTS WILL BE CABLED AS SOON AS AVAILABLE.

3. EMBASSY FEELS THAT ALL NOMINEES ARE STRONG CANDIDATES AND HOPES AT LEAST THREE INVITATIONS TO SUBJECT SEMINAR WILL BE AUTHORIZED FOR VENEZUELA. POST BELIEVES TABORDA-ROMERO AND VAISMAN TO HAVE FIRM IDEAS ABOUT POST-SEMINAR TRAVEL AND THAT THEY WOULD WISH TO CONSULT WITH THE NUCLEAR DIVISION OF THE WESTINGHOUSE CORPORATION AND OBSERVE THE WESTINGHOUSE REACTORS IN OPERATION IN VARIOUS PARTS OF THE US.

4. CABLED APPROVAL NOMINEES WOULD BE APPRECIATED.
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